

# THE BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH

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## SEALED ORDERS SENT BY GEN. BARRY OUTLAW WIRELESS ON GREAT LAKES

### COUNTY TEACHERS TO HOLD CONVENTION

One Hundred Members to Meet at the Chamber of Commerce on Friday & Saturday March 30, 31

Miss Swenson of Virginia to Speak Friday, on Friday Evening Concert and Social at Camel's Hall

The Crow Wing County Teachers Association will meet in Brainerd at the Chamber of Commerce on Friday and Saturday, March 30 and 31.

One hundred members belong to the organization of which Miss Judith Erickson is the president. On Friday Miss Swenson, a noted educator of Virginia, will speak.

On Friday evening the following concert, to be followed by a social, will be given at Camel's hall, third floor of the Iron Exchange building.

1. (a) Intermezzo.....Tolhurst  
(b) Anna Boleyn Gavotte.....Tolhurst

String Orchestra

2. Talk on Music for the Rural Schools.....Edwin Harris Bergh

3. Violin duet, "Minuet Sentimental".....Jacobi

Edwin Lee and Lester Bredenberg

4. (a) "Boat Song".....Harriet Ware  
(b) "Autumn Wind".....Brandscombe

Marie Archibald

Accompanist, Mrs. P. A. Gough

5. Reading.....Waldia Oberg

6. Violin solo "Rosary".....Nevin

Georgia Drexler

7. Allegretto.....Tolhurst

String Orchestra

8. Reading.....Fern Clark

9. "The Lass With the Delicate Air".....Orne

Marie Archibald

10. "Graceful Dance".....Tolhurst

String Orchestra

Violins—Edwin Lee, Alice Johnstone, Ben Zakariasen, Hans Anderson, Cecil Morrison, Alfred Dillan, Lester Bredenberg.

Cello—Beatrice Morrison.

The public is cordially invited to all proceedings.

**Cyclone Wipes  
Town off Map**

(By United Press)

Birmingham, Ala., March 27—Perty, Alabama, was wiped out by a cyclone, 14 being killed and 20 injured, and communication is reported as cut off.

**RUSSIANS FALL BACK  
WHEN ATTACKED BY GAS**

(By United Press)

Petrograd, March 27—An official report says the Russians were compelled to fall back when they were attacked by the Germans with gas on the western bank of Chara river.

**BRITISH CAPTURE TOWNS**

London, March 27—The British have captured Equaricourt and Longavesnes, dispatches from Gen. Haig's headquarters says.

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**VON MACKENSEN TO REORGANIZE TURKS.**

London, March 27.—Field Marshal August von Mackensen of the German army, according to a dispatch from Berne, has arrived at Constantinople to reorganize the Turkish army.

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**Will Reexamine all  
Rejected Recruits**

(By United Press)

Washington, March 27—As an emergency step all rejected recruits have been ordered to be re-examined.

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#### MITCHEL AND WAGNER.

New York Mayor and Senator  
He Accused as a Traitor.



Photos by American Press Association.

Senator Wagner demanded that Mayor Mitchell be summoned before the New York legislature to prove his charge that the senator opposed the Rockaway fortifications bill. Although Senator Wagner is a Democrat, Governor Whitman and Republican legislators call the charge absurd. Mayor Mitchell is shown at top of picture.

#### FRENCH OCCUPY COUCY

Paris, March 27—The French occupy Coucy Lechateau and are also progressing against the Germans in Forest Coucy, it is officially reported.

### Outlaw Wireless Being Hunted on the Great Lakes

(By United Press)

Chicago, March 27—A government wireless investigation is hunting for "outlaw" wireless stations on the great lakes and checking all explosives going through here.

### Issue Sealed Orders Disposition Guards Central Department

(By United Press)

Chicago, March 27—Major General Barry, commander of the central department has issued sealed orders for the disposition of 39 military guards united under arms in the central department. The censorship withholds the assignments. The recruiting is increasing but 80 per cent of the applicants are rejected, the stations report.

### Neutral Nations Should Get Together in a Conference

(By United Press)

Washington, March 27—Senator LaFollette says that the neutral nations should get together in conference to enforce the rights of the neutrals, and defends the position in flustering in his weekly magazine.

### Secret Wireless Found at Trarkoe

(By United Press)

Petrograd, March 27—A secret wireless station at Tsarkoe-selo has been discovered, and it is believed this means furnished communication between Berlin and the pro-German Russian ministers.

### Universal Service

(By United Press)

New York, March 27—The endorsement of universal service is planned by the convention of national guard association which meets here today, the members oppose the move but the officers favor it.

#### GENERAL NIVELLE.

French Commander Is  
Leading New Advance.



Photo by American Press Association.

General Nivelle, who long fought the Germans at Verdun, is now in charge of the French advance. He is regarded as one of the best strategists in France.

### GERMAN SOLDIERS CROSS TO HOLLAND SEEKING FOOD

(By United Press)

The Hague, March 27—4,000 German soldiers crossed to Holland seeking food, is the report from the frontier.

### ALLIED PURSUIT CONTINUE HOTLY

(By United Press)

London, March 27—The allied pursuit continues hotly and violent fighting along the 50 mile front of the permanent German line is reported. The French are within a mile of von Hindenburg's line.

### BRILLIANT CONCERT LARGELY ATTENDED

Brainerd Symphony Orchestra and Brainerd Choral Club Ably Directed by Edwin Harris Bergh

Soloists were Mr. Bergh, Miss Anna Michaelson, of City, Mrs. Ruby Campbell-Ledward Minneapolis

### We Can Loan Allies 5 Billion Dollars Says Bank Officials

(By United Press)

New York, March 27—The United States can loan the allies five billion dollars without affecting the financial situation, banking officials say. This would end the war quickly.

### Two Germans Taken Officials Silent Believed Important

(By United Press)

Chicago, March 27—Two Germans were taken from a San Francisco train by secret service agents here and the men were hurried to the chief investigator. The officials are silent as to the nature of the offense the men are charged with but it is believed the capture is an important one.

### Bids Danish West Indies Happy Future

(By United Press)

Copenhagen, March 27—King Christian had the former subjects of the Danish West Indies a farewell, wishing them a happy future under the United States.

### Will Organize State by Auto Campaign

(By United Press)

St. Paul, March 27—The non-partisan league has purchased 100 Fords for a big Minnesota campaign which will start immediately for the purpose of organizing the state as was done in North Dakota, Col. Townley said. "We will have 95 per cent of the farmers in the state organized by the next political campaign." The "Minnesota non-partisan league" was denounced as a move to head off the campaign for the National non-partisan league.

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The concert given Monday evening by the Brainerd Symphony orchestra and the Brainerd Choral club was a great success, the audience filling the spacious opera house and enjoying to the utmost the splendid program offered.

Directed by Edwin Harris Bergh musicians and singers responded to his baton and the melody and tonal effects secured were wonderful.

The violins in the orchestra were especially good and the work of Julius Witham, concertmaster, and Edwin Lee, principal, merits mention. Adding to the swell of harmony were the cello section, piano, organ, cornets, trombones, horn and drums.

The soloists, two local and one from Minneapolis, were the recipients of much applause.

Edwin Harris Bergh gave an inspiring rendition of the "Hungarian Rhapsody" by Hauser, a very difficult number and one in which his thorough musicianship, fine intonation and superb bowing was revealed. His accompanist was Mrs. Walter F. Wieland, and she did finely, acting also as accompanist for Mrs. Ledward.

Miss Anna Michaelson took the solo parts in "Galla" by Gounod and acquitted herself with credit, giving the score a most sympathetic interpretation. Her voice is of rare, sweet beauty, especially appealing in tone.

### NEW YORK SENATE SUMMONS MITCHEL

Albany, N. Y., March 27.—The senate adopted a resolution summoning Mayor John Purroy Mitchel of New York before it to substantiate his recent statement that apparently State Senator Robert F. Wagner, Democratic minority leader, was working more in the interest of Germany than the United States in connection with Rockaway Point for site legislation.

The resolution that Senator Wagner introduced last Friday, the day after Mayor Mitchel made his statement, was amended to provide for the appointment of a committee to decide not later than Wednesday upon rules of procedure to govern the inquiry and the time the mayor's appearance would be ordered.

### FIRST PAPERS ARE REFUSED

Alien is Unwilling to Fight for United States.

St. Louis, March 27.—Instructions that first naturalization papers should be refused to applicants who are unwilling to fight for the United States were given by United States District Judge Dyer.

On this order first papers were refused to Joseph Gandi, who said he had two brothers in the German army and that he would not be willing to fight against that country, but would go back there if he could.

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**THE WEATHER**

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:  
Co-operative observer's report, 6  
P. M.—  
March 26, maximum 44, minimum  
20.  
March 27, 8:30 A. M., 25.  
Generally fair tonight and Wed-  
nesday. Warmer tonight except ex-  
treme northeast portion. Warmer  
east and south portions Wednesday,  
winds shifting to southerly Wednes-  
day and increasing.

**LOCAL NEWS NOTES**

News of Parties, Visitors, Vis-  
its, Deaths, Accidents, Etc.,  
gratefully received by the Dis-  
patch. Both phones. North-  
west 74, Automatic 274.

Ed Lent, of Deerwood, was in the  
city.

Ed Loydahl of Crosby was in the  
city.

For spring water phone 264. If  
Jerry Glunt, stricken with paraly-  
sis last week, is much better and can  
talk again.

W. S. Jennings, of Aitkin, was a  
Brainerd visitor.

Mary Siegel is reported to be very  
sick with typhoid.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Parker are vis-  
iting in St. Paul.

Mrs. C. A. Lent has returned from  
a visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Bert Kylo and son Jack are  
visiting relatives in Elk River.

Attorney Thomas Beare, of Ironton,  
was in the city on legal matters.

Mrs. C. G. Nordin and son Charles,  
Jr., are visiting relatives in St. Paul.

Joseph C. Zimmer and Fred C.  
Cook went to Little Falls this after-  
noon.

Mrs. Bruno Olsson and daughter  
returned this afternoon to their home  
in Crosby.

Art Hagberg, student at the agri-  
cultural college, is enjoying a short  
vacation at home.

Nettleton loans money on homes.  
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Miss Clara Yde was operated on  
for appendicitis at the Sisters hospi-  
tal and is recovering.

F. L. Hill, the Pine River banker  
and real estate man, was in the city  
on his way to Minneapolis.

Miss Wilmitte Hoffstead, cousin of  
Mrs. Theodore Clemens, has returned  
to her home in Philadelphia.

A. L. Mattes, prominent years ago  
in Brainerd Lumber Co. affairs and  
now located in Prince Albert, Cana-  
da, is in the city.

Special for young men, 50 foot lots  
\$1.00 a week. Nettleton. 2411f

Mrs. J. A. Wilson has gone to St.  
Paul to visit her son Harry and fam-  
ily.

**BEST THEATRE**

MON. and TUES.—Robert Warwick  
in "The Argyle Case"

WEDNESDAY—Henry B. Walthall in  
"The Burning Candle"

**EMPRESS THEATRE**

TODAY—Charles Richman in  
"The Secret Kingdom"  
"The Ghost Ship"

TOMORROW—J. Warren Kerrigan in  
"The Silent Battle"  
A Blue Bird Feature

Hy and daughter, Miss Julia Wilson  
at St. Luke's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Bergstrom, of  
Manganese, are now residents of  
Brainerd. Mr. Bergstrom is the sur-  
face boss at the Sixth street iron  
mine.

In the list of filings given yester-  
day there was unintentionally omit-  
ted the name of Elmer G. Forsberg,  
candidate for school board from the  
third ward.

A city lot or acreage bought partly  
on time pays a larger percentage of  
profit on the money actually invested  
than if it was all paid form because  
it increases in value.

The funeral of Mrs. Benjamin A.  
Huestis will be held on Wednesday  
afternoon at 3 o'clock from the resi-  
dence, 215 North Fourth street, Rev.  
G. P. Sheridan officiating.

Frank Peters, employed at what is  
known as the Forsyth shops at the  
Northern Pacific railway shops, had  
his leg broken Monday when the  
journal of a car wheel fell on it.

March showed some wide ranges in  
temperature. On Sunday, March 4  
it was 32 below, the minimum for the  
month. Sunday, March 26, the maxi-  
mum was 48 and minimum 26.

Twenty men are at work at the  
South Sixth street mine of the Brain-  
erd-Cuyuna Iron Co. About 2000 gal-  
lons a minute is being pumped.  
There is about 550 tons in stockpile.

**Notice to Eagles**

Meeting Tuesday, March 27.

Initiation, Lunch, Cigars,  
Music, Etc., Please Attend

HENRY KRAUSE.

Secy. F. O. E. No. 287.

A promised shipment of paper fail-  
ing to arrive on time necessitated the  
running of four pages instead of six  
pages of the Dispatch, causing many  
subscribers to believe the newsboys  
had lost the inside page.

For Sale. Houses and Lots in all  
parts of the city. Prices right. Jas.  
R. Smith, Sleeper Block. 2411f

Miss Esther Brisbane, teaching at  
Lansford, has resumed her school  
work. Deep snow caused the clos-  
ing of the school for some weeks.  
Miss Brisbane is a member of the  
Brainerd Symphony orchestra and  
played in the viola section last  
night.

Thinking of moving? To those  
planning to move, the Dispatch want  
ads are the most interesting reading  
matter in the whole paper. They  
have news value. They have serv-  
ice value. They have a real bearing on  
your affairs. They are, often, prob-  
lem-savers. They are, always, time-  
savers.

For Sale—Fifty level lots, near  
Lowell school, N. E. Brainerd, \$50.00  
to \$100.00 each. Before you buy,  
let me show you some good locations.  
First buyers get selections. Easy  
terms. Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper Block.  
2411f

The Miller Cloak & Hat Shop at  
212 South Seventh street, which did  
a very successful business under the  
management of Mrs. Frank Lindner  
is about to sell its stock, fixtures, etc.,  
as the head of the firm which has  
branches in Milwaukee and Cumber-  
land, Wis., Sioux Falls, S. D., and  
Brainerd, is about to discontinue  
branches and center all attention on  
the large store at Owatonna.

Rev. E. O. Schugren of India, will  
speak in the Swedish Baptist church  
this evening at 7:45. Mr. Schugren  
has been a successful missionary in  
South India for a number of years  
and expects soon to return. He has  
a wonderful message to all of mis-  
sionary work. The Scandinavian  
people of Brainerd should not miss  
this opportunity of hearing this ser-  
vant of Christ. One and all are cordi-  
ally invited.

Headquarters for Kimball Planos,  
wholesale and retail, Kimball Piano  
Branch, 717 Laurel street. 2331f

The formal opening of the Ideal  
Cafe, 624 Front street, was attended  
by many who enjoyed the fine menu,  
the music by Bergh's orchestra and  
admired the improvements made in  
the cafe. L. J. Shugart, the chef,  
evolved a menu which offered many  
dainties. Service was of the best.  
On Wednesday evening the Ideal will  
be the scene of a dinner given as a  
farewell to a prominent young busi-  
ness man about to leave Brainerd.

Dispatch want ads are always load-  
ed with bargains. All kinds of busi-  
ness chances, farms, houses, rooms  
offices and stores for rent, live stock,  
horses, vehicles, poultry and miscel-  
laneous articles, real estate, acreage  
and farms for sale. Many things of-  
fered for trade. All kinds of work.  
Lost and found articles advertised.



First Glimpse of Printzess Fashions for Spring. The Most Attractive Suits and  
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ad, and the situations wanted ads  
telling of a great number of people  
looking for positions of all kinds.  
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there's money in them for you.

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Mother, if your child whines, is  
fretful and cries out in sleep, he is  
probably suffering from worms. These  
parasites drain his vitality and make  
him more susceptible to serious dis-  
ease. Quickly and safely kill and  
remove the worms from your child's  
system with Kickapoo Worm Killer.  
This pleasant candy laxative in tab-  
let form quickly relieves the trouble  
and your child brightens up. Get  
Kickapoo Worm Killer at your drug-  
gist, 25c.—Advt. tta

**FOODSTUFFS AN  
IMPORTANT ITEM**

Officials Urge Farmers to Speed  
Up Production.

**FINANCE AND FEED ALLIES**

Government Contemplates, in Event of  
War, to Furnish Steady Stream of  
Necessities to Certain European  
Nations.

Washington, March 27.—Govern-  
ment officials look to the speeding up  
of the foodstuffs production in the  
United States as one of the most im-  
portant means of assisting in the war  
against Germany, should the United  
States take an active part.

"Of the two most important things  
this country could do for its allies in  
case of war—namely, to finance and  
feed them—perhaps the most impor-  
tant is to maintain a steady flow of  
foodstuffs to their shores," says an  
authorized statement by Assistant  
Secretary Vrooman of the depart-  
ment of agriculture.

"It looks," the statement adds, "as  
though it would be a good business  
stroke for the farmer this spring to  
sow his normal oats acreage to spring  
wheat and it is certain that it would  
be a valuable step in the direction of  
national agricultural preparedness."

Still the policy of stimulating food  
production would have to be supple-  
mented by a policy guaranteeing the  
farmer against loss due to possible  
overproduction.

The department holds that congress  
alone can deal with this question ef-  
fectively, although the department can  
do something toward speeding up pro-  
duction within certain economic limits.

**LIVE STOCK FOR INDIANS**

Federal Bureau Will Supply Western  
Reservations.

Washington, March 27.—Indian re-  
servations of the Northwest soon will  
receive large consignments of live  
stock from the department of Indian  
affairs. Cato Sells, the commissioner,  
has just announced that he is in the  
market for 5,000 two-year-old heifers,  
500 milch cows, three and four years  
old; 500 one, two and three-year-old  
Hereford and Shorthorn bulls, and 500  
young mares.

In the past three years the depart-  
ment has spent \$2,000,000 in stocking  
Indian reservations. It has found the  
policy successful, Mr. Sells said.

**Kaiser's Cousin Reported Dead.**

London, March 27.—The Daily Ex-  
press says it learns Prince Frederick  
Karl of Prussia, cousin of the German  
emperor, who was reported in a Mad-  
rid dispatch as having been shot down  
by artillery while flying in an air-  
plane, over the British lines near Pe-  
ronne, has died from his injuries.

**RAPID PROGRESS  
IS BEING MADE**

Further Preparations to Place  
Nation on War Footing.

**MARINE CORPS TO RECRUIT**

President Wilson Orders Immediate  
Increase to Full Strength, Making  
About Twenty-five Thousand Men  
Needed to Fill Present Requirements  
of the Navy.

Washington, March 27.—Prepara-  
tions for placing the nation on a war  
footing progressed rapidly.

Included in the development was an  
order by President Wilson for the im-  
mediate recruiting of the marine corps  
to full war strength of 17,400 men,  
with a possibility the next step will  
be calling out the naval militia.

This is about the only action left  
for the president, as far as the navy  
is concerned, to fill out the crew of  
the many vessels to be added, before  
action by congress.

Secretary Baker said no further call  
on the national guard was in pros-  
pect.

More than thirty-two regiments have  
been summoned to federal duty to  
guard industries or other property  
which might be threatened by internal  
disorders growing out of the German  
situation.

The address to be delivered to con-  
gress next week by the president  
probably will be discussed at the cabi-  
net meeting.

The suggestion that a large sum in  
the form of money or credit will be  
furnished one or all the entente al-  
lies is one of the important problems  
to be taken up.

To give the navy the 87,000 blue-  
jackets and add the marines needed  
more than 25,000 men must be re-  
cruited.

**ALIENS WHO OBEY  
LAWS CAN GO FREE**

Washington, March 27.—Rumors  
that alien Germans living in this  
country and German sympathizers  
may be subject to registration and  
possible internment were denied un-  
officially by war department officials.

Here is substantially the way the  
denial was phrased:  
"To intern aliens or force them to  
register would be a policy of hate.  
Such a policy at this time would be  
un-American."

"The war department does not con-  
template taking any action against  
law abiding aliens of any national-  
ity."

This does not mean suspicious char-  
acters will not be watched.  
The department of justice is ex-  
ercising every effort to curb the activi-  
ty of German spies and plotters.

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monia or Consumption, the kind that almost tear you to pieces,  
that make your head ache, your throat sore and inflamed, take

**Chamberlain's Cough Remedy**

It soothes and heals the inflamed air passages, stops the tick-  
ling in the throat, and by its tonic effect enables you to throw  
off the disease. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is quite different  
from the ordinary cough medicine, for it not only soothes but  
also heals, so that the effected parts are restored to a healthy  
condition and the danger of a future attack is removed. I firmly  
believe that it is the best and most reliable preparation ever pro-  
duced for coughs and colds."

Yours for Health —Granny Chamberlain

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For Winter use, with a superior  
quality that will give full sat-  
isfaction, is what we do always  
when your coal is ordered from  
our high grade hard coal. Good,  
clean coal, fair prices and  
prompt delivery is always appre-  
ciated by the public, and they  
get it every time from our yards.

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## WOMAN'S REALM

### CHILD TRAINING EXPERT TO SPEAK

Prof. M. V. O'Shea, of Madison, Wis., to speak at State Sunday School Convention

### MANY SPECIALISTS ON PROGRAM

Rural School of Methods, Discussing Problems of the Small Sunday Schools of State

Prof. M. V. O'Shea, of Madison, Wis., is one of the greatest specialists on child training in America. He has written many books along this line and is a platform speaker of ability and power. He captivated the Sunday school workers of Minnesota last year at the state convention in Austin and we are sure that a host of Sunday school workers in Minnesota will welcome Prof. O'Shea and will again be delighted with his message.

Mrs. Maude Junkin Baldwin formerly of Philadelphia, now of Chicago, Elementary Specialist of the International Sunday School Association, will be at the convention throughout the entire sessions. Mrs. Baldwin has been successful in organizing two great states in the Sunday school work for the teachers of children under twelve years of age. She has now charge of the North American field. She is also an author and authority on the teaching of children. Every teacher of children under twelve years in Minnesota should learn to know Mrs. Baldwin and her work.

Minnesota has 300,000 boys and girls between the ages of five and twenty-one who are not receiving any religious instruction. For a number of years the slogan of the Minnesota Sunday School Association has been to "Carry the Open Bible by the hand of the trained teacher to every boy and girl and every man and woman in Minnesota."

The average enrollment of the Sunday schools in Minnesota does not exceed 60 per school. Therefore the largest number of Sunday schools in Minnesota have an enrollment below a hundred. In order to meet this need a Rural School of Methods will be conducted each day for three days. This is especially planned for the teachers and officers of small village and country Sunday schools. At least one-third of the entire state convention program will be devoted to the problems of the small Sunday school. In addition to this there are more than a hundred subjects on the convention program which are applicable to all Sunday schools.

All delegates will be required to pay a registration fee of one dollar. This will entitle them to the general sessions of the convention and the School of Methods. The entertainment committee is making provision to entertain 3,000 registered delegates for lodging and breakfast free. All Sunday schools in Minnesota are urged to pay the registration fee of their delegates to the convention.

Programs are now ready and can be secured without charge by applying to the Minnesota Sunday School Association, 516 Peoples Bank Bldg., St. Paul, Minn.

### Lemon Shower

The young ladies of the Perseverance Band of the Methodist Bible school, will give a lemon shower on Wednesday evening. There will be no admission at the door, but a charge of 10c will be asked for the lemons, and 5c for refreshments.

The following program has been arranged:

Violin solo.....Georgia Drexler  
Vocal solo.....Irene Brockway  
Reading.....Mary Hughey  
Violin solo.....Fern Hitt  
Vocal solo.....Lucille Darling  
Piano duet.....  
.....Lucille Darling, Esther Ericsson  
Song.....High School Male Quartet  
Everybody is invited and a good time is promised to all.

### "Willing Helpers"

The Willing Helpers society of the Swedish Baptist church will be entertained Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thon. The following program will be given:

Song.....Assembly  
Scripture reading and prayer.....  
.....Mrs. A. E. Gustafson  
Vocal solo.....Dr. Long  
Reading.....Rev. Colvin  
Piano solo.....Georgia Sherlund  
Vocal solo.....Anna Michaelson  
Piano solo.....Miss Olga Hagberg  
Closing Prayer.....

### Presbyterian Aid

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid society will meet Wednesday afternoon and be entertained by Mrs. J. C. Higbe and Mrs. W. C. Mannis at the home of the former, 402 South Sixth street. A good attendance is desired. All are welcome.

### Civics Class

The Civics class of the Brainerd Musical club will meet this Tuesday evening at the home of Prof. and Mrs. W. C. Cobb. The principal speaker will be John Mahlum, who will take as his topic, "The Formal Opening and Closing of Congress."

### Aid Society Meeting

The Ladies Aid of the Peoples Congregational church will be entertained at the church parlors by the aid society on Wednesday afternoon. A large attendance is desired.

### Mission Society

The Mission society of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet with Mrs. K. O. Bergstrand.

### Marriage Licenses

March 26—Will John Blakesley of Douglas county and Lovena Emilia Kelm of Brainerd.

### Constipation Makes You Dull

That draggy, listless, oppressed feeling generally results from constipation. The intestines are clogged and the blood becomes poisoned. Relieve this condition at once with Dr. King's New Life Pills; this gentle, non-gripping laxative is quickly effective. A dose at bedtime will make you feel brighter in the morning. Get a bottle today at your druggist. 25c.—Adv.

## "Little Grandmother" of Russian Freedom Invited Back After 30 Years in Prison



MME. CATHERINE BRESHKOVSKAYA.

Mme Catherine Breshkovskaya, the "little grandmother" of Russian freedom, after thirty years in prison, during some of which time she was in Siberia, has been invited back to Petrograd by M. Kerenski, the minister of justice in the new revolutionary cabinet. With the old order overturned she becomes a public heroine, instead of a felon, in the eyes of the officers of the law.

## "With Basket on Her Dimpled Arm"

BY MARGARET MASON,

(Written for the United Press)

"With basket on her dimpled arm  
Priscilla goes to sew;  
I would I were that things of deeds  
That sways there to and fro;  
So I might hang upon her arm  
And with Priscilla go."

New York, March 27—"Don't put all your eggs in one basket" seems an superfluous adage in these egg-orbitant and eggs-asperating days when we never think of putting our egg any place but in the safe. Even for the Croesus who owns a full dozen the bit of advice with such a fascinating and bewildering assortment of bewitching baskets to make a collection of?

The days are past when the word basket conjured up before the mind's eye nothing save those oblong half bushel affairs with a bent wood handle that invariably left splinters in your palm or forearm.

Nowadays my lady goes to market to buy her weekly onion or potato with a reed or willow woven confection vivid hand painted primitive designs done by the Russian peasants or the Guatemala Indians. Or if she has Lenten leanings toward less ornate colorings an artistic but more somber toned Chinese basket of smoked bamboo may dangle from her arm.

She carries her sewing in a round Chinese basket of slender, close woven split bamboo bright with bobbing vari colored beads and a Chinese tassel of silk and gilt. Her knitting she conveys in a basket bag of raffia or sweet grass. Most anyone would give a darn for the adorable darning baskets of tinted or gilded wicker lined in silks of rainbow hue and ornate with fruits and flowers of cotton stuffed silk or tassels and beads from Chinatown.

In the home the basket beautiful reigns supreme. Shallow baskets of two toned weave and color made by the Mexican Indians hold an artistic grouping of the gold of oranges and the amber and ruby of Eve's favorite fruit. The smoked bamboo baskets also make stunning fruit holders.

Exquisitely pastel tinted baskets woven and dyed at the Association for the Blind come in every conceivable decorative shape and are lovely filled with artificial flowers to lighten up any corner upstairs, downstairs or in my lady's chamber. Many have tin containers fitted inside for real honest to goodness blooms.

Flat, round, oblong and square box like baskets stencilled in riotous and futuristic design and color make ideal catchalls for hankies, neckties, gloves and even bon bon.

Sandwich baskets of natural colored osier or smoked bamboo, are always attractive either with or without a fitted plate of gay hued peasant chinaware in their shallow embrace.

Hanging basket of stained willow lined with colored silk or colored glass make lovely awaying lights and lined with painted tin they hold growing plants and trailing vines to lighten

the living room, sunporch or breakfast room.

Scrap baskets have passed from the stage and gilt and composition garlands to a more ornate state of gilt festooned in elaborate designs of French silk fruit and flowers, gold lace, tassels and gold cord. Or else they are the gay hued peasant or Indian baskets of barbaric dye or of black and gold and red lacquer a la Chinois.

Even the soiled linen hamper becomes a thing of beauty and a joy forever when it is all slicked up with a coat of white or ivory enamel, with ofttimes a garland of carved and enamelled rosebuds adorning its lid or satin bows fussing up its handles. In triangular shape, so they can fit easily into corners, these baskets enamelled in tints to carry out the pervading color scheme of the room are preferable in convenience and sanitation to even the most artistic laundry bags in guest rooms, the nursery and all bed chambers. Huge basket jardiniere of bronze toned Chinese bamboo for the potted palm or captive rubber plant are stunning enough to be in great demand even outside of Brooklyn.

Then there are the light and handy trays of basket weave, plain or decorated, with a stencil or bright color which I am not sure ought to come under the basket head, but at least the basket for the feline pet comes in the basket category. It is of course enamelled and of just the right shade to enhance sweet pussy's complexion when she basks in her basket.

So, sweeping the eye over all baskets of the present moment, be they market, sewing, scrap, laundry or cat, it is plain, or rather fancy, to be seen that all basketry has its touch of coquetry.

### Other People's Money.

In handling other people's money the principal must be kept intact. If, as a trustee, those to whom you are responsible insist upon an income which you in your heart know cannot be obtained without taking some slight chance, give up the trust without hesitation, says World's Work. There is no more bitter experience through which an honest trustee or executor can pass than the rendering of an accounting for a lost or depleted trust. No reason or excuse can weigh for an instant against the actual result which he faces. A single slip in the handling of funds like this may doom all future generations of that family to lives of poverty. This is the greatest responsibility ever laid upon a trustee, an executor, a banker or an adviser, and no honest man should assume it unless he is prepared to endure for the sake of the future all the criticism that may center upon him on account of extreme conservatism in the present.

### Valuations.

"You can't judge things by what they cost."  
"True enough. An artificial limb is very expensive, and a real leg you get free."—Washington Star.

### The Other Way.

"What on earth's the matter? Cut yourself while shaving?"  
"No-o. I should say that I shaved myself while cutting."

Creditors have better memories than debtors.—Franklin.

## Is Your Baby up to Normal

BY MRS. MAX WEST,  
(Of the Federal Children's Bureau)  
(Written for the United Press)

Mother always like to know whether their children compare favorably with others in their development; and to have some standards by which to measure growth. Some of these rules are simple and are easily remembered.

The average weight of girl babies at birth is 7 pounds; that of boys 7½. Healthy babies usually double their weight by the sixth month and treble it by the end of the first year. Therefore if the baby weighs 21 pounds at 1 year of age it is up to normal.

The first tooth is usually cut from the sixth to the eighth month. The full set of 20 milk teeth should be in place when the baby is two years old. The "sixth year molar" as it is called, is the first of the permanent teeth to appear, but as it does not replace one of the first teeth mothers allow it to decay because they believe it to be a temporary tooth.

The baby begins to laugh aloud from the third to the fifth month, and speaks a few words by the end of the first year. He usually frames short sentences by the time he is two years old.

Baby should sit up unsupported a little while by the seventh or eighth month, stand at 10 or 11 months and walk alone by the 15th or 16th. The soft spot on the top of the head should be entirely closed by the end of the second year.

### How to "Wither" Warts.

A formula has been recently put forward by a medical authority which, he claims, practically "withers warts while you wait." Mix sulphur sub., five drams; concentrated acetic acid, two and a half drams; glycerin, two ounces. Apply the paste to the warts on small pieces of linen or spread with a brush at night. Wash off the next morning. Repeat till the warts drop off.—London Answers.

### Machine Guns.

It has been shown that in actual warfare a single machine gun, with a crew of four men, is equivalent to forty infantry armed with the modern magazine rifle and is capable of throwing a hotter concentrated fire upon a given spot, says an English expert.

### They Come Back.

Friend—Why do you wear those fearfully old fashioned collars? Gouley—Because when the laundry manager sends them to the wrong people they send them back.

### Bad Germ.

One of the most deadly germs which are generated by kissing is the belief that two can live as cheaply as one.—Washington Herald.

Light is light, whoever holds the candlestick.—E. E. Hale.

## "He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

## We'll Sell You a Head of Hair

—soft, fluffy, clean and heavy

For \$1.00

If we could actually sell you a good head of luxuriant, fluffy, soft hair for \$1.00, we would be swamped with orders. Still we come very close to keeping this promise by offering you the wonderful combined results obtained from using this fine shampoo and hair tonic. A very reasonable combination. Better try it.

### Clean the Hair and Scalp with Suprema Violet Shampoo

Destroys dandruff, removes dandruff, prevents dandruff, cleans the hair, brings out the oil, opens the pores and permits the hair roots to breathe. 50c

### Then Feed the Hair Roots with Nyal's Hirsutone

A grower and beautifier of renown which when used in combination with suprema violet shampoo produces a head of hair that is at once beautiful and luxuriant. 50c.

## LAMMON'S PHARMACY

We give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps.

"THE STORE WITH A CONSCIENCE"

## Kodak Season is Now Open

We do professional finishing for the amateur photographer

## Lars Swelland's Art Studio

319 So. Sixth St.

Brainerd, Minn.

### Pongee For Spring Wear.

Pongee seems to be a spring surety. But the pongee of this spring will be more interesting than the pongee of the other seasons when it has been worn. Much of it will be printed with vivid colors. There will be large green polka dots on a plain pongee background. There will be strips of vivid green, blue and red, and when it is used plain it will be trimmed vividly. In fact, though neutral colors, grays and tans, are to be used extensively for suits this spring, they are all going to be trimmed lavishly with brilliant colored braids, ribbon and buttons.

## MAYR'S WONDERFUL REMEDY for STOMACH trouble

Gall Stones, Cancer and Ulcers of the Stomach and Intestines, Auto-Intoxication, Yellow Jaundice, Appendicitis and other fatal ailments result from Stomach Trouble. Thousands of Stomach Sufferers owe their complete recovery to Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. Unlike any other for Stomach Ailments. For sale by Johnson's Pharmacy, and druggists everywhere.—Adv.

## Reduce the High Cost of Living

Now, Listen! All you have to do is to purchase Blue Ribbon Japan Tea and Blue Ribbon Steel Cut Coffee. The coffee sells for 30c, 35c and 40c per lb., and the tea for 50c per lb. Take the wrappers to

## Johnson's Pharmacy

Where you will receive tickets for same. Write your name on these tickets, and place them in a sealed box, and on May 22nd there will be seven tickets drawn from this box. No family to receive more than one of the following articles:

- The 1st ticket will draw 1 100 lb. Bag Sugar.
- The 2nd ticket will draw 1 98 lb. Sack Fancy Patent Flour.
- The 3rd ticket will draw 1 Box Lenox Soap.
- The 4th ticket will draw 20 lbs. Blue Ribbon Steel Cut Coffee.
- The 5th ticket will draw 1 Premium Ham.
- The 6th ticket will draw 1 Slab Premium Bacon.
- The 7th ticket will draw 5 lbs. Blue Ribbon Japan Tea.

The Brainerd Wholesale Grocery Co.

Here's One  
table drink that  
kiddies as well as  
the older ones can  
safely enjoy

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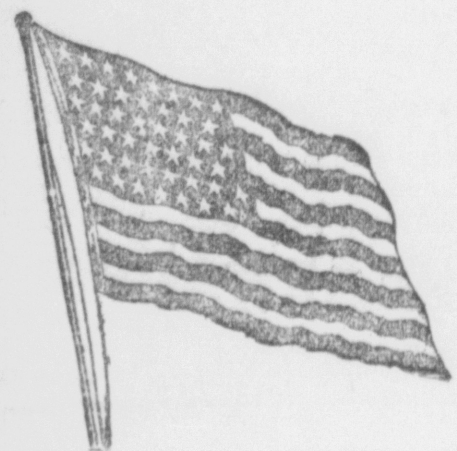
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TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 1917



Your Flag and my Flag!  
And, oh, how much it holds  
Of your Land and my Land  
Safe within its folds.  
Your heart and my heart,  
Beat quicker at the sight;  
Sun-kissed and wind-kissed,  
The Red, the Blue and White!  
The one Flag—the Great Flag—  
The Flag for me and you—  
Glorified the whole world wide—  
The Red, the White, the Blue!

## IS MURDERED BY BURGLAR

Prominent Philadelphian Grapples  
With Negro Thief.

Philadelphia, March 27.—Harold Ellis Yarnell, secretary and treasurer of the Midland Valley railroad and prominent socially, is dead from a bullet wound sustained while defending his wife from the attack of a negro burglar at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Yarnell had just returned from a day spent at their country home at Media when she encountered the burglar in her room. She grappled with him and at the same time screamed for help. Mr. Yarnell, who was in his bath, rushed to his wife's assistance and hurled the negro into the hallway.

The assailant then drew a revolver and fired, the bullet entering Mr. Yarnell's groin and penetrating the liver.

## TAFT SPEAKS AT MEMPHIS

Former President Opposes "Step  
Lightly" Policy.

Memphis, Tenn., March 27.—Former President Taft, in an address here in advocacy of the League to Enforce Peace, made a plea for a virile Americanism and gave emphasis to the declaration that the league would not stand for a "step lightly" policy.

Mr. Taft expressed the opinion that, "with the exception of a relatively few extremists," Germans who are citizens of the United States will prove their loyalty to this country.

## PAID ADVERTISEMENT

Inserted by and for C. A. Russell for which the sum of 5 cents per line each issue is to be paid.

## FOR ASSESSOR

I wish to announce to the voters and taxpayers of Brainerd that I will again be a candidate for the office of City Assessor at the city election April 3. If elected I promise a just assessment, as nearly as it is possible for one man to do it. I aim to be the taxpayers' candidate.

Respectfully,  
232113cod CLIFFORD RUSSELL.

## PAID ADVERTISEMENT

Inserted by and for L. H. Hohman for which the sum of 5 cents per line each issue is to be paid.

## LOUIS F. HOHMAN

for City Treasurer  
I am a candidate for the office of City Treasurer.  
I will appreciate your support very much for election to this office.  
As a member of the Board of Education I have served the city for fourteen years. On the ballot April 3rd place an X mark after my name.

LOUIS F. HOHMAN.

## PAID ADVERTISEMENT

Inserted by and for D. A. Peterson for which the sum of 5 cents per line each issue is to be paid.

## FOR ASSESSOR

Having been requested by a number of friends to be in the field for City Assessor at this coming spring election, I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for such office and respectfully solicit your support.

2341t D. A. PETERSON.

## PAID ADVERTISEMENT

Inserted by and for Gordon Wilcox, for which 5c per line each insertion is to be paid.

## FOR ALDERMAN

I hereby announce myself as candidate for alderman in Second ward, and earnestly desire your support.

2441t GURDON C. WILCOX.

HOME GARDEN  
IDEA GROWING

(Chippewa Falls Independent)

Spring garden thoughts were never so alluring. There is snow on the ground and the summer harvest seems a long way in the future, but many a new-made farmer is already mentally plowing and weeding, and in a sacred corner of his mind he carries an enticing picture of his backyard blooming like Eden.

A garden patch six feet square will furnish the family with vegetables and conversation for the best part of a season. An old-fashioned backyard is a corner in contentment. The suburbs will bloom this year as they never bloomed before, and in the making of gardens and the enjoyment of them there will be a wholesomeness that almost compensates for the long siege of food price extortion.

(Duluth Herald)

The nation, for itself and for a hungry world, will need every pound of food that can be extracted from its soil this growing season.

Every idle acre planted is just that much gain against the high cost of living and for the well-being of the world.

Every foot of ground made to raise stuff good to eat is just that much gain to that end.

A bushel of potatoes raised in a backyard or on a vacant lot puts the country a bushel of potatoes ahead of the game.

A dozen head of cabbages raised in a backyard or on a vacant lot is that much to the good for the whole country and the hungry world.

Every farmer should plant and till every foot of ground he has.

Every householder should plant and till every foot of his yard available for home gardening.

Every vacant lot should be put into the hands of somebody who will till it and raise part of his family's living out of its soil.

Every family willing to till a vacant lot should enroll itself and enter the field of vacant-lot gardening in Duluth.

It is a patriotic duty to raise all the food it is possible to raise. The hungry world will need every pound of food America can produce this year.

It is a patriotic duty, if you have an idle lot, to list it with the committee that has charge of the vacant-lot gardening operations in Duluth.

The Herald, which is publishing coupons for those who have lots to offer and for those who wish to till vacant lots, will see that the coupons go to the right place.

If you have a vacant lot, fill out a coupon.

If you want to till a vacant lot, fill out a coupon.

Duluth ought to do its full part in solving the problem of high cost of living through the vacant-lot gardening plan, and everybody who can should help the committee that has this plan in charge.

(Aurora News)

It is time to complete plans for the summer garden.

With the present high prices of all foodstuffs, the garden means much to the average family, and with the great amount of fertile soil in the village and the ideal climate which we have, every family can manage to have at least a small garden if the proper effort is made. Even a small piece of ground only a few feet square will raise many dollars' worth of vegetables.

It will be many weeks before planting time, but now is the time to lay your plans. By studying the time of maturity of the various articles you will want, it will be possible to raise two and in the some instances three different crops on the same piece of soil. This will save a lot of work, as you will have less ground to put in condition and consequently a less amount of grubbing to do, which is the real work in raising vegetables. After the ground is once in shape, the caring for a small garden really is recreation.

## MOTHER HELD AS MURDERER

Colorado Jury Decides Woman Killed  
Children and Herself.

Boulder, Colo., March 27.—That Mrs. William Nelson killed her three children and then ended her life with suicidal intent was the verdict of the coroner's jury investigating the tragedy of Saturday at the Nelson home near here.

Testimony showed the woman subject to fits of despondency.

Hard to Suit.

"This horn you sold me won't make any noise," said the customer.

"Well, I thought you wanted it for your grandson," said the clerk.

"So I did."

"Gracious! But you're a hard man to please!"—Chicago News.

Some Feat!

"All the while the cashier was burning the candle at both ends."

"And keeping it dark? Well, I do dare!"—Boston Transcript.

## Independents May Choose Next Speaker



CHAMP CLARK AND J. R. MANN—CENTER, READING DOWN  
REPRESENTATIVES MARTIN, RANDALL, LONDON, SCHALL AND FULLER

Between Champ Clark, speaker of the House of Representatives and candidate for re-election, and James R. Mann, republican leader and candidate for his party, stand five independents, who may have the deciding voice in the organization of the House. Two old parties are tied.

W. P. Martin of Louisiana and Thomas D. Schall, the blind representative from Minnesota, are Progressives. C. H. Randall of California is a Prohibitionist. Meyer London of New York City is a socialist, while A. T. Fuller of Massachusetts puts himself down as an independent.

## THE CITY MANAGERS

(A Series of articles on a new type of municipal government, which is spreading rapidly)

## X—The Power of Publicity

THE power of publicity under a unified transparent government such as the commission-manager plan provides was demonstrated in Ashtabula, just after the selection of the first city manager early in January of this year.

Ashtabula has proportional representation, and it is conceded that its council is thoroughly representative of all classes of the people. It is neither a "high brow" nor a "roughneck" assembly; it averages up about the same as the people themselves.

When it came to the selection of an executive, the council found it difficult to arrive at a decision. They let their localism get the better of them and eliminated from consideration all but Ashtabula men for the position. They wound up by selecting one of their own number city manager!

It was a strange situation. Had the manager remained on the council he would have an anomalous relation both to the council and to the people. He was elected from a constituency simply to represent their wishes, but as city manager he would have had an authority beyond that of the representatives of any other group of citizens. On the other hand, he had resigned from the council and accepted the managership, he would have deprived the constituency which elected him of any voice in the city's government. And under the system of proportional representation, the vacancy could not be properly filled.

So much for the blundering, which is interesting but unimportant. The really illuminating episode was the great storm of public disapproval that instantly concentrated upon the commission. The council was so visible that they could not escape the consequences of their blunders and the city manager hurriedly resigned. The council's next move was to select as city manager the local ex-postmaster, a man of good character but of no particular qualifications for the position. In spite of that handicap, the affairs of the city seem to be administered in a way to elicit general satisfaction.

## GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, March 26.  
Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.32½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.31½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.30½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.29½; No. 4 Northern, \$1.28½; No. 5 Northern, \$1.27½; No. 6 Northern, \$1.26½; No. 7 Northern, \$1.25½; No. 8 Northern, \$1.24½; No. 9 Northern, \$1.23½; No. 10 Northern, \$1.22½; No. 11 Northern, \$1.21½; No. 12 Northern, \$1.20½; No. 13 Northern, \$1.19½; No. 14 Northern, \$1.18½; No. 15 Northern, \$1.17½; No. 16 Northern, \$1.16½; No. 17 Northern, \$1.15½; No. 18 Northern, \$1.14½; No. 19 Northern, \$1.13½; No. 20 Northern, \$1.12½; No. 21 Northern, \$1.11½; No. 22 Northern, \$1.10½; No. 23 Northern, \$1.09½; No. 24 Northern, \$1.08½; No. 25 Northern, \$1.07½; No. 26 Northern, \$1.06½; No. 27 Northern, \$1.05½; No. 28 Northern, \$1.04½; No. 29 Northern, \$1.03½; No. 30 Northern, \$1.02½; No. 31 Northern, \$1.01½; No. 32 Northern, \$1.00½; No. 33 Northern, \$0.99½; No. 34 Northern, \$0.98½; No. 35 Northern, \$0.97½; No. 36 Northern, \$0.96½; No. 37 Northern, \$0.95½; 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## LOSES WIFE AND CHILDREN TODAY

Wm. J. Sullivan Cried at Depot as Mrs. Sullivan and Two Little Ones Went to Pine River

## MARITAL TROUBLE CLAIMED

She Took Her Children and will Work on a Farm of Laurel Lindell Near Pine River

With tears in his eyes William J. Sullivan, of 1124 Southeast Norwood street, this afternoon saw his wife and two little ones, Mabel age 3 and Mary 5, take a train for Pine River and in spite of all his entreaties his wife refused to remain in Brainerd with him.

A friend on the train conversing with her stated Mrs. Sullivan had secured employment on the farm of Laurel Lindell, a 160 acre place near Pine River.

Mr. Sullivan has three children from his first wife, a boy of 16, girl of 11 and boy of 9 and when she died he married his wife's sister. It seems there have been occasional disagreement in the family circle and today Mrs. Sullivan packed up, took her two little ones and left Brainerd.

Mr. Sullivan was at the depot, trying to invoke the law to have his wife stay in Brainerd. The chief of police was at the railway station, the county attorney, a deputy sheriff, but she calmly sat in her seat in the coach, holding a big bottle of milk in her hand feeding the smaller baby in her hand and the other and talking in Finnish to a neighbor woman.

## GARDEN IDEA TAKING ROOT

P. B. Nettleton says he sold two bushels of seed potatoes yesterday and threw in the two lots. The lucky young men who secured them were John Schmitz and Chris. F. Duneman, both shop men who will improve them. The lots were not far from the Lowell school, North-east Brainerd.

## BRAINERD'S ODDEST STORIES OF TODAY

When it comes to shop lifting stories, it seems that many stores in the city have suffered depredation. It is said some party took some stuff from a store and had the nerve to come in, say it was the wrong goods ordered and demanded that it be exchanged.

The catalog houses are not sparing in shipping their catalogs in carload lots about the country and in using printers ink in newspapers. The heavy test catalog business is done in a town which is mighty sparing in advertising in the newspapers.

## Lingering Coughs are Dangerous

Get rid of that tickling cough that keeps you awake at night and drains your vitality and energy. Dr. King's New Discovery is a pleasant balsam remedy, antiseptic, laxative and promptly effective. It soothes the irritated membrane and kills the cold germs; your cough is soon relieved. Delay is dangerous—get Dr. King's New Discovery at once. For nearly fifty years it has been the favorite remedy for gripe, croup, coughs and colds. Get a bottle today at your druggist, 50c—Adv't.

## MANY ENDORSE MARKET DAY IDEA

First to be Held April 24 With Free Auction for the Benefit of the Farmers, Many Expected

## FIRMS JOINING THE MOVEMENT

Details of Free Auction, Dinner at Chamber of Commerce and Bargain Offerings to Appear

The following merchants and business men have entered into the plan for a monthly market day and free auction for the benefit of the farmers, the first to be held on April 24, at which time it is expected there will be a large number of farmers in with goods and chattels from the farm, odds and ends which they may see fit to dispose of as well as live stock or machinery:

H. F. Michael Co.  
Koop Mercantile Company.  
P. J. Oberst.  
Johnson Bros. & Halberg.  
Woodhead Motor Company.  
H. W. Linnemann.  
Brainerd Hardware Company.  
Slipp-Gruenhagen Company.  
O'Brien Mercantile Company.  
John Carlson & Son.  
First National Bank.  
H. P. Dunn.  
Brainerd State Bank.  
Finstahl & Vadmals.  
Lakeside Lumber Company.  
Bye & Peterson.  
Brainerd Bargain Store.  
Hagberg & Schaefer.  
Turcotte Bros.  
Brainerd Business College.  
James Graham.  
Citizens State Bank.

Details for the free auction, dinner at the Chamber of Commerce and bargain offerings will appear in the Dispatch later.

## FORECAST FOR WEEK

Weather Generally Fair Until Wednesday or Thursday, then Local Rains and Colder

The U. S. weather bureau predicts for the week commencing Sunday, March 25, for the plains states and upper Mississippi valley, generally fair and moderate until Wednesday or Thursday, when the weather will become unsettled, with probably local rains, followed by much colder.

## FARMER SLAYS HIS FAMILY AND HIMSELF

Redwood Falls, Minn., March 27.—William Kleeman, a young farmer living near Clements, Redwood county, killed his wife and four little children with an axe and then hanged himself.

The bodies of the six persons were found by Miss Ruth Snyder, a teacher who boarded at the Kleeman home and who spent two days away. Neighbors of the Kleemans reported that the family had been heavily in debt. This is believed to have caused Kleeman to brood and finally to have deranged his mind.

Both Kleeman and his wife were members of prominent families in this section.

## Railway "Speeder" Overtaken

Kenosha, Wis., March 27.—One man was killed and two others severely injured when a "speeder" used by the Chicago and Northwestern Railway company for repair work turned over on a bridge over the Oplane river, a mile west of the village of Pleasant Prairie. The man killed was Thomas Grogan, thirty years old, of Harvard, Ill.

## STATE DAIRYMEN CONVENTION HERE

Secretary Chris. Heen of Osakis, to Consult With Agricultural Committee, Chamber of Commerce

## RELATIVE TO MEETING IN CITY

Convention if Secured Will Bring Prominent Dairymen From all Over State to Brainerd

The Chamber of Commerce is after another important convention, that of the State Dairymen's association and a meeting of the agricultural committee has been called for Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, when Chris Heen, secretary of the association will be here from Osakis to consult with those who are most directly concerned in having the convention brought here.

The convention, if secured, will bring prominent dairymen from all over the state to Brainerd and a two days' program, with prominent speakers and demonstrations will make the event one of keen interest to this locality.

In view of the fact that matters relating to the program and the dinner will be cared for by the agricultural committee, Chairman Gruenhagen and others of that committee will meet with Mr. Heen at the Chamber tomorrow. Details will be announced as soon as the results of this conference are known.

## MORE SOLDIERS TO THE FRONT

Three Brothers, Corporal Archie Power, Joseph Power and George Power, are Called

## WERE AT HOME BUT 11 DAYS

Live 12 Miles East of Brainerd and are Sons of Mrs. Thomas Walbern

At home but eleven days after spending months on the Mexican border, three brothers, Corporal Archie Power, Joseph Power and sharpshooter and George Power, sons of Mrs. Thomas Walbern, residing 12 miles east of Brainerd, were again called to the front. The boys belong to Company M, First Infantry.

Lyle Noble, of Bemidji, also of the First Regiment, passed through Brainerd today to join his company.

## NISSWA NOTES

Mr. W. B. Hill went to Brainerd today between trains.

Alvin Henke visited the dentist again on Tuesday.

Mrs. M. K. Swartz has been in Brainerd since Wednesday.

School will be closed for two weeks. Miss Murray will go to Litchfield for her vacation.

W. M. Murray, Jr. spent two days of last week in Brainerd on business. Frank Payne returned to Nisswa on Wednesday after an extended stay in Brainerd.

Messrs. Carlisle, Henke and Haralson went to Pequot today on business.

Mr. S. V. Long is engineering work at the Pulp mill.

Mrs. Hill is enjoying a visit from her brother of Backus, Minn.

Mrs. Frank Payne and son went to Brainerd Tuesday for the day.

Miss Georgia Murray and little Mary King are in Walker visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olson.

Mr. Lindstrom sawed wood at the school house on Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Murray visited Mrs. Fred Slipp several days last week.

Miss Alice Swartz is in Brainerd at the home of Mrs. Eastman.

Mr. Lum entertained Mr. Ezra Smith at dinner Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Halvarson and son Henning returned from Comstock where they had been visiting.

David Henderson returned from the city to spend the summer with his parents on the farm.

The Misses Vera Cate, Anna Mattson and Loretta Murray attended the "Bird of Paradise" at Brainerd Saturday evening and returned on the Sunday noon train.

The Gull Lake road had been impassable since the recent storms. Two teams and five men worked two days opening it.

Mrs. Wm. Murray and Mrs. Mattson attempted to drive to a Ladies club, which was held at the Bohlike home at Hubert. On account of the roads between they were unable to go any farther than Henderson's. There they spent an enjoyable afternoon.

Artificial legs and arms were in use in Egypt as early as 700 B. C. They were made by the priests, who were the physicians of that early time.

## FIRST DAY'S MILEAGE 14.8

Saxon Roadster Driven by W. E. Lively Plunges Through Muddy Roads, Ice and Snow

## DRIVEN ON GALLON GASOLINE

Carried Dispatch Representative and Car Ran 1 Hour 15 Minutes, Six Stops Made

Carrying a big sign advertising the economy run, W. E. Lively on Monday drove a Saxon roadster, brand new stock car, through mud, ice and snow, regardless of weather conditions 14.8 miles on a gallon of gasoline in 1 hour 15 minutes, six stops being made for adjustments of the carburetor.

The Saxon had its gallon of oil strapped to the left side of the wind shield and a tube carried the fluid to the engine. The gas was carefully measured out in the presence of the Dispatch man. The latter was passenger, general observer and timer and can truthfully say he sat in the seat all the time, kept one eye on the gasoline and the other on the mileage.

Ten miles an hour was struck up on the poorest roads, the Saxon heading first for East Oak street, then whirling about through the north side and running to The Northwest Paper Co. mill and through the piles of supplies without a stop back to the city proper. Mr. Lively seemed to have a faculty for picking out the worst streets and roads in town.

The start was made at 4:01 in the afternoon and the last turn of the wheels occurred at 5:16 P. M. just after Mr. Lively had turned sharply at the Northwestern hospital corner. Jolts in the road caused the loss of two table spoons of oil. The spout was securely sealed, but the top cover had a small hole punched in same to permit proper suction.

Today the streets of Brainerd have greatly improved and a much larger mileage will be rolled up. A record of each day's run will be kept and the average will tell the story.

## AMERICAN ENTRANCE INTO WAR MINIMIZED

London, March 27.—The possibility of American participation in the war on the side of the allies was dismissed as a minor matter by General von Stein, Prussian minister of war, in an interview with the Berlin correspondent of a Budapest newspaper, according to a Berlin dispatch to Reuters by way of Amsterdam.

General von Stein said he did not know whether the American fleet would support the British fleet, but that there could be no question of an American continental army in the near future. He added:

"Our military situation on all fronts is good and justifies our best hopes. It appears that the enemy is preparing an offensive, but we shall resist even a stronger attack, not only at the front but at home.

"What may happen then we do not know, but come what may, we shall confront everything imperturbably.

"Our sufferings are great and our sacrifices gigantic, but it is just in these things that the greatness of a nation finds its expression."

## Cadet Hosiery

## For Boys and Girls

Double Heels, Toes and Knees Will Give the Service You Want Both Light and Heavy Weights

We wish every mother to try our Cadet hosiery for the active boys and girls. They are reinforced with linen at heels, toes and knees and service is assured.

Try a pair if you have had trouble with the hosiery wearing out to display.

H. F. MICHAEL CO.

## NORTHWEST NEWS

### Floods Looked For

St. Paul, Minn., March 27.—There is no doubt but that there will be very serious floods in the Mississippi and Minnesota river bottoms this spring, Capt. George F. Winans, pioneer river man said today.

Captain Winans believes much damage will be done to the bridges at St. Paul and other points south of the junction of the Minnesota and Mississippi rivers, by the heavy ice which is being broken before melting, by the drainage of the snow.

### War Tax Yields Revenue

Winnipeg, Man., March 27.—The Canadian war profit tax has yielded revenue greatly exceeding what was expected, it became known here today.

The tax which went into effect in 1915, for three years, was expected to yield \$35,000,000 for that period. In the first year, when everything was dull \$15,000,000 was realized, the second period, that is 1916, is expected to return \$25,000,000, so that \$65,000,000 at the least is expected for the three years. The tax is derived from excess business profit.

### 'Ole Bill Unpopular

St. Paul, Minn., March 27.—A bill regulating the sale of oleomargarine by means of a license fee and providing for placards conspicuously placed, telling of the sale of oleomargarine, where it is sold, has been recommended for passage in the house it became known today.

This bill has been bitterly fought by St. Paul club women and others interested, who claim that it will be impossible to sell oleomargarine under the bill and will be responsible for a butter trust being created.

It's all right to be popular, but the good opinion of many a man isn't worth the price.

## See Our Windows

White Granite Ware, a comprehensive display at 20 per cent below regular prices.

Butcher Knives, Zenith quality that regularly sell from 75c to \$1.25. Special price on them.

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## SHOE POLISHES

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When suffering from backache, frequent or scanty urine, rheumatic pains here or there, or that constant tired, worn-out feeling, the simple way to overcome these disorders is merely to obtain a little Anuric from your nearest druggist and you will quickly notice the grand results. You will find it thirty-seven times more potent than lithia, and that it dissolves uric acid as hot water does sugar.

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—Mrs. GEORGE BURNHAM, 614 N. State Street.

## FIRST ARMED SHIP FROM U. S. IS SAFE

Washington, March 27.—The American liner St. Louis, first armed American ship to cross the Atlantic, has arrived safely at her destination, Secretary Daniels announced.

Information as to the arrival of the steamer came to the navy department from the office of the American line in New York.

The company wished to make known the fact to relieve the anxiety of those having relatives or friends on the vessel. Secretary Daniels approved such action.

No details of the trip were given in the company's report.

### NAVAL AIRMEN ARE TRAINING

Sixty of Reserve Flying Corps Cadets, arriving at Newport News.

Newport News, Va., March 27.—Sixty men for the naval reserve flying corps are to be trained here immediately by the Atlantic coast aeronautical station.

They will be commissioned ensigns upon completion of the preliminary course.

### A GOOD WINTER HABIT

Many people dread winter because the sudden climatic changes bring colds, grippe, rheumatism, tonsillitis or bronchitis. But thousands of well-informed men and women today avoid much sickness for themselves and their children by taking a few bottles of Scott's Emulsion to make richer blood, fortify the membranes of the throat and chest and create body warmth to resist sickness. Soldiers at war receive cod liver oil; it will also strengthen you.

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## IF KIDNEYS AND BLADDER BOTHER

Take a glass of Salts to flush out your kidneys and neutralize irritating acids.

Kidney and bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again, there is difficulty in voiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it, because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, this is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs which then act normally again.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used by thousands of folks who are subject to urinary disorders caused by uric acid irritation. Jad Salts is splendid for kidneys and causes no bad effects whatever.

Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink, which quickly relieves bladder trouble.

# SPORT NEWS

## BASKETBALL JUVENILE QUINTS

In basketball circles, juvenile quints, Washington beat Lowell 4 to 2. The mixed grade beat the Lincolns 6 to 2.

### PING BODIE'S GREAT HOME RUN

Ping Bodie played a game of ball on the coast somewhere not so long ago and during its progress dropped a home run over the fence.

"That was a lucky one," modestly declared Ping, as he came back to the bench. "It didn't get over that fence more'n a foot."

It so happened that the homer won the game and thereby loomed up as the one important walloping of the day. On the train on the return trip another bunch of ball players climbed aboard and, of course, inquired about the game.

"Won it on my homer!" said Ping. "I slapped the ball over that fence a mile."

An hour and a half later Ping was on the ferry. By this time the homer had reached huge proportions.

"Say," said Ping to a friend he met on the boat, "you should have seen that blow! They sent the two fastest horses in the country after it in relays, and they haven't caught up with it yet."

## PEACE MEDIATION SCOUTED BY BERLIN

Berlin, March 27.—Headlined "The War Rumpus in America," the Morgenpost devotes twenty-four lines editorially to the American situation, saying: "The Anglophile American papers may well be satisfied with the success of their stubborn inflammatory articles. According to the last reports a veritable war frenzy has seized at least the Yankees living in the eastern states. Giant mass meetings, at which a declaration of war against Germany is demanded with almost hysterical enthusiasm, follow in quick succession. As responsible head of the state Wilson so far has maintained the utmost coolheadedness, but it appears that he is no longer the free master of his decisions."

"Since in America they are conscious that they are not militarily equipped for a real war the fat national pocketbook, which for two years our enemies have so prodigally filled for the Americans, is to be placed at the disposal of the entente as the first performance of the new alliance."

"Rumors regarding peace mediation on the part of European neutrals must be characterized as highly improbable and to have already been denied in part. The dispatch from America sounds excited."

### MILITARY DAY IN CHICAGO

Great Patriotic Meeting Arranged for Next Saturday.

Chicago, March 27.—Next Saturday will be military day in Chicago, when the city's greatest patriotic meeting takes place in the Auditorium. Preceding the giant rally of citizens there will be recruiting drives through the streets by bands and companies of Illinois national guard and the naval militia.

Numerous organizations, including those with members of foreign ancestry, will hold patriotic demonstrations in various parts of the city.

Former Secretary of War Jacob M. Dickinson, sponsor of the meeting, will probably be chairman.

### BRAINERD AMAZED BY SUDDEN ACTION

The incredible action of simple lavoptik eye wash is startling. A school boy had eye strain so badly he could not read. A week's use of lavoptik surprised his teacher so much that she used it for her old mother. One wash showed benefit. A small bottle lavoptik is guaranteed to benefit every case weak, strained or inflamed eyes. The incredible result is astonishing. Pure aluminum eye cup FREE with each bottle. Johnson's Pharmacy.—Adv. 851



### MACK SAYS HE'S READY.

Foxy Man of Baseball Has Got Team He Believes In.

It is something more than two years now since Connie Mack began to execute his plan of tearing apart one of the greatest baseball machines the game has ever known.

About two years since Connie cut loose from Jack Coombs, Eddie Plank, Chief Bender, Eddie Collins and Jack Barry. Straightway he began anew his process of raking the brush for a new winning combination. At the time he said a period of two years would suffice to put him back in the race.

Recently he outlined his hopes for the coming season. His new outfit as named in this statement will show one remnant in each of the four departments of play held over from the old regime. Wally Schang, Joe Bush, Stuffy McInnis and Amos Strunk are the four selected around which to build the new machine.

If Mack decides to dispose of Bush and Schang his plans may not work out so well. Together with Schang will be carried Myers and Plachin to handle the work back of the plate.

Joe Bush, Jack Nabors, Elmer Meyers and Russell Johnson are regarded as four regulars for the pitching staff. In addition there are some half dozen others, including the famous Ruhe Schauer, to furnish the extra talent.

For his infield Mack will retain McInnis at first, Grover at second and Witt at short. Bates, at third, will complete the inner defense. Stuffy, of course, is a known quantity. Witt played through last season. Grover and Bates are new hands, though the former played awhile with the club last season. Bates is placed chiefly on his strong recommendation as a minor leaguer, together with inside reports from Mack's scouts.

In the outfield Strunk will be aided by Ping Bodie, of White Sox fame, and Frank Thrasher, a recruit from the Southern league. Mack believes that Bodie can deliver the goods despite his former failure with the Sox. Thrasher comes along with a record of never having hit below .300 in any league. He hit better than .300 for Atlanta last season.

### GEERS AFTER RECORD.

Grand Old Man of Harness Turf Wants to Handle Reins Fifty Years.

Edward F. (Pop) Geers, the grand old man of the harness turf, will try to set a record for longevity in active participation for all time, and unless all signs fail he will succeed. Recently Geers celebrated his sixty-sixth birthday, and next May he will have rounded out forty-five years as an active driver.

It is his ambition to go five years more, thus completing half a century on the track. It was feared when the veteran met with an accident last season and was badly smashed up that his racing days were over, but he made a surprising recovery for a man of his years and is now in fine health. He is not only training hard every day that weather permits, but is rounding out his day of work with a horseback ride.

Geers' sixty-sixth birthday was perhaps a more interesting one to him than any which preceded it, for the reason that he also celebrated the first event in which he ever drove a horse in harness faster than two minutes. In the Columbus August meeting he sent Napoleon Direct over the distance in 1:59.4. Up to 1916 his best trotting and pacing miles were 2:01, by The Harvester, and 2:06, behind Ess H. Kay. His training stable now contains some of the best harness horses in the world.

### FIRST INFANTRY IS READY

Minnesotans Promptly Answer Call to the Colors.

St. Paul, March 27.—St. Paul troops comprising the five companies of the First Minnesota infantry virtually have mobilized.

In response to mobilization orders from Newton D. Baker, secretary of war, a continual line of khaki clad men arrived at the Armory.

Major C. T. Smith of the Third battalion, comprising the five St. Paul companies, said that virtually every member of the five companies had either reported in person or had communicated with company officers, informing them that they would arrive from out of town points at once.

### \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.—Adv. Feb

## KEEP POUNDING AT GERMAN LINE

French and British Take Three More Villages.

### TO CHECK FRESH INROADS

No Important Changes Occur in the St. Quentin Region, Where the Teutons Are Strengthening Their Positions.

Russians Menace Turks Retiring Before British in Mesopotamia.

London, March 27.—Three additional villages have fallen into the hands of the British and French troops between Arras and Soissons in France. One village was taken by the British and two by the French.

Lagnicourt, about six miles northwest of Bapaume, fell to the British, and Folembray and La Fuisse, in the Bassee-Forêt-De-Coucy region, at the base of the salient that has been driven into the German lines at Lafere, are in the hands of General Nivelle's forces.

The French also have gained additional terrain northeast of Soissons, but no important changes have occurred in the St. Quentin sector, where the Germans are stiffening their line to keep down fresh inroads by the French.

Paris reports the dispersal of German assemblages in this district by the artillery fire of the French, however.

Trench raiding and bombing operations continue on the remainder of the front, although there also have been violent artillery duels on various sectors, especially east of Dixmude and Steenstrate, in Belgium.

Considerable aerial activity is still in progress between the British and Germans.

### Both Sides Lose Airplanes.

London reports the forcing down of five German airplanes east of Neuville-St. Vaast and Armentieres, but says seven British machines have failed to return to their bases.

The Germans, who are reported to be in force on the North Russian front, again are becoming active. South of Dvinsk, in the region of Pust, after having loosened gas waves against the Russians, the Germans essayed an advance, but, according to Petrograd, were repulsed.

East of Baronovitchi another Teuton attack was put down by the Russian artillery. The Russian war minister has arrived in Riga, probably to consider the situation created by the arrival of German reinforcements.

Still another crossing of the Persian frontier into Turkey has been effected by the Russians, who have entered the valley of Mosul, through which flows the Tigris river, along which the British are still in pursuit of the Turks retreating from Bagdad.

To the southeast, on the Turco-Persian frontier near Khanikan, the Russians have captured the Turkish fortifications at Kalachahin, thereby placing a further menace in the way of the Turks making their way up the Dala river before the British.

### CONSULS TO LEAVE MUNICH

Can Depart When Turkey Agrees to Receive Them.

Washington, March 27.—Germany has agreed to permit the four American consuls held at Munich to proceed to their new posts in Turkey as soon as the Ottoman government formally agrees to receive them, virtually assuring, officials here believe, difficulties placed in the way of the Americans' transfer out of Germany soon will be cleared away.

Turkey already has indicated informally she will interpose no further obstacle.

Ambassador Willard at Madrid reported the Spanish foreign office has been assured by the German foreign minister the four Americans are being held only until it is certain Turkey will accept them.

### SECURE ABSOLUTE EQUALITY

Jews Obtain Same Rights as Others in Russia.

Washington, March 27.—Absolute equality of Jews in Russia with all others to own property, to reside in any place, to serve in the army and navy, to participate in educational advantages and at the polls has been proclaimed officially, say advices received at the Russian embassy.

Therefore, it is understood there will be no further restrictions upon the issue of passports to Russia of American Jews who desire to visit Russia than those common to other persons.

### GERMANS LOSE PRIZE SHIP

Federal Supreme Court Orders Restoration to Owners.

Washington, March 27.—Immediate transfer of the prize ship Appam at Newport News, Va., to the British owners was ordered by the supreme court.

This is the last step in taking the vessel from Lieutenant Hans Berg and the German prize crew following the court's recent decision that the Appam violated American neutrality.

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### MORGON FIRM WILL AID

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New York, March 27.—J. P. Morgan & Co., it was announced, have agreed to advance up to \$1,000,000 without interest to relieve possible embarrassment of the depot quartermaster of the war department here in the purchase of army supplies.

Recently the depot quartermaster was compelled to stop payment for supplies because of the exhaustion of funds owing to the failure of congress to pass the army deficiency bill.

One firm, it was said, refused to honor a requisition for flour, saying "we will do no more business with the government until it pays its bills."

### \$75,000 FUND IS PLEDGED

Fitchburg, Mass., to Care for Dependents of Enlisted Men.

Fitchburg, Mass., March 27.—A fund of \$75,000 for the relief of dependents of married men employed in local shops who may join military or naval forces was pledged by local manufacturers at a meeting here.

### St. Joseph Germans Loyal.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 27.—Henry Vogelmann, president of the St. Joseph Turnverein, gave orders to have all German flags and portraits of notable Germans removed from Turner hall. In their places have been placed the American flag and pictures of American statesmen. "St. Joseph Germans are loyal," Vogelmann said.

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